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1. In January 1955, the Deutsche Post prepared a distribution plan for
distribution frame Vh 53 in Karlshorst, status of mid-January 1955.
The distribution frame contains Soviet and KVP-owned cables. The plan
referred to the KVP school as an engineer school. In early January, the
engineer school, in addition to KVP, still quartered Soviet personnel.
2. A tap-proof switching arrangement with No. 55 00 10 was installed
at the Karlshorst switchboard (VST N 55). Four connections of this type
have been put in operation so far. All details and sketches of these
connections were handled as secret material. If called, the holder of
the number answered with his number and asked for the caller's number.
3. In mid-November 1954, the Soviets in Karlshorst took charge of all 7 to
8 cables between distribution frame Vh 50 and the Pioneer Kasern on
Zwieselerstrasse, which was later to be provided with a German tube
cable. A 700-core cable was to be laid from distribution frame Vh 50
the Pioneer Kasern. After the evacuation of the installation by the
Soviets was completed in December, the installation had been turned over to
the KVP.

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